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### **AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed December 31, 2002.

# **COMMENTS**

Claims 1-21 have been rejected under 35 USC 103(a) as unpatentable over Bennett (U.S., Patent No. 6,251,013) in view of Schultz (U.S. Patent No. 5,332,228).

Claims 1-11 have been rejected under 35 USC 112, second paragraph as lacking proper antecedent basis for the term "the same game event."

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